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Sir:

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c/o PHILIPS ELECTRONICS NORTH AMERICA CORPORATION, Corporate Intellectual Property, 1000 West Maude Ave., Sunnyvale, California 94085, his Associate Attorneys/Agents with all the usual powers to prosecute the above-identified application and any division or continuation thereof, to make alterations and amendments therein, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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Respectfully,

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Dated at Sunnyvale, California on July 30, 2003.